

TABLE 8  
KINSTON LABOR FORCE 1960

OCCUPATION	NUMBER	PERCENT
Professional, Technical	1,110	12.4
Farmers, and Farm Managers	63	7.0
Managers, Excluding Farm	807	9.0
Clerical	959	10.7
Sales Worker	817	9.2
Craftsmen, Foremen	1,086	12.2
Operatives	1,700	19.0
Private Household Workers	607	6.8
Other Service Workers	958	10.7
Farm Laborers and Foremen	82	1.0
Laborers, Excluding Farm	470	5.3
Occupation, Not Reported	265	3.0
TOTALS	8,924	100%

SOURCE: N. C. Employment Security Commission

of the farm industry. Other factors to be noted in the following table are Rate of Unemployment, Average Weekly Earnings and High School Graduates Entering the Labor Force. Unemployment has declined in Lenoir County while weekly earnings have increased on an average of \$8.17 per year since 1962. High School Graduates Entering the Labor Force had an increase in 1964 but otherwise has had a decline. The decline of graduates entering the labor force could be due to male population entering military service; the increased emphasis on obtaining a college degree or moving to other